Post Office Box 843
Clinton, Mississippi 39056
March 13, 1984

Mrs. Patricia N. Edwards
1765 Silverado Trail
Napa, California 94558

Dear Mrs. Edwards,

I received your letter dated March 8, 1984, regarding the Jones County DeLancey family. I am always happy to pass along information on my genealogy research.

I have enclosed for you a BRIEF HISTORY of my DeLancey family which I compiled back in October, 1983, but which is still up to date as far as my research goes. I hope you don't mind but I scribbled some additional information on it which you may or may not be interested in.

I would very much appreciate your forwarding to me any information you might run across that you feel would be helpful to me. Or, sending me the name and address of anyone you think might have some information helpful to me.

Also, I would be very interested in obtaining a copy of your WHO MARRIED WHOM IN JONES COUNTY when it becomes available. Just send me the particulars.

Sincerely yours,

Susan
Susan DeLancey

Enclosures

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BRIEF HISTORY OF THE ORIGIN OF THE MISSISSIPPI-LOUISIANA DELANCEY/ DELANCY FAMILY AS COMPILED TO DATE - OCTOBER 1983

NOTE: This family may be in the 1840 Federal Census for Jones Co. but so much of it was unreadable

We first found our family in the 1841 State Census for Jones County, Mississippi. The mother of the family, Sarah (called Sallie) Delancy (the spelling is that of the Census taker), is listed as head of household consisting of herself, one other female and five males. Only the head of household was listed by name in the Census until 1850. We know that Sarah was born in 1810 in South Carolina but we do not know her maiden name nor any other background information on her. The father of the family is not listed nor have we found him so far in any other Federal or State Census for Mississippi. His last child, the fifth of five sons, was born in 1838 so we have assumed that between 1837 or 1838, when this last child was conceived, and 1841, when Sarah appears as head of household in the Census, he either died and was buried somewhere in Jones County or left home for some reason and did not or could not return.

However, we did find a William Delancy (the spelling is that of the Census taker) in the 1830 Federal Census for Wayne County, Mississippi, which borders Jones County on the east. He is listed as head of household consisting of himself, two other males and one female. Two of the males were between 40 and 50 years of age and 60 and 70 years of age; the female was between 15 and 20 years of age; one male was under 5 years of age. The female here and the male child might be our Sarah and her first son who was born in 1829. If William was Sarah's husband, he was obviously much older than she. We have discovered no direct link between William and Sarah as yet but it is interesting to note that three of Sarah's sons each named a son William.

Sarah lived in Jones County until the late 1860s when she moved to Smith County, Mississippi, where we believe she died and was buried in the 1870s.

"Sallie" DeLancey

The five sons of Sarah and her husband were:

I. John T.(?) DeLancey. John was born in 1829 in Jones County(Wayne County?), Mississippi. We do not know the date or place of his death nor where he was buried as yet.

I thought this was a Q also but changed my mind - still not sure -

John enlisted in the Army in April 1862 in Smith County, Mississippi. He was a Private in Company G, 37th Regiment, Mississippi Infantry, during the Civil War.

John married at least once to Cenia (last name unknown) who was born in 1832(?) in (?), Mississippi. We do not know the date or place of her death nor where she was buried as yet. Neither do we know the date of their marriage as yet.

John and Cenia had at least four children, as follows:

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1. Sarah E. DeLancey
   Born: 1851(?) in (?), Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: (?)

2. John J. DeLancey
   Born: 1854(?) in (?), Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: (?)

3. Robert H. DeLancey
   Born: 1855(?) in (?), Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: (?)

4. William C. DeLancey
   Born: 1859 in (?), Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: (?)

II. Henry Clay DeLancey. Henry was born 20 September 1830 in Jones County, Mississippi. He died 30 December 1903 in Jackson County(?), Mississippi, and was buried in Latimer, Jackson County, Mississippi.

Henry enlisted in the Army in May 1862 in Quitman, Clarke County, Mississippi. He was a Private in Company F, 7th Battalion, Mississippi Infantry, during the Civil War.

Henry married at least twice. He married first to Susan (last name unknown) who was born in 1830 in (?), Mississippi. She died 7 July 1884 in Jackson County(?), Mississippi, and was buried in Latimer, Jackson County, Mississippi. We do not know the date of their marriage as yet.

Henry and Susan had at least five children, as follows:

1. Richmond C. DeLancey
   Born: April 1855 in Jones County, Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: He was married at least once to Ellen(Helena?) Z. Wedgeworth. They had at least six children.

2. David Langston DeLancey
   Born: 7 March 1857 in Jones County, Mississippi
   Died: 16 February 1942 in Jackson County(?), Mississippi
   Buried: Latimer, Jackson County, Mississippi
   Marriage/Children: He was married at least once to Mary Elizabeth Walden. They had at least eight children.

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3. William C. DeLancey
   Born: February 1860 in Jones County, Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: He was married at least once to India Trest. We do not know if they had any children as yet.

4. Mary DeLancey
   Born: 18(?) in (?), Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: She was married at least once to Elam Stewart. We do not know if they had any children as yet.

5. Calvin DeLancey
   Born: 18(?) in (?), Mississippi
   Died: 18(?) in (?), Mississippi (in infancy)
   Buried: (?), Mississippi
   Marriage/Children: N/A

Henry married second to Frances M. Dees who was born 30 September 1847 in (?), Alabama. She died 12 June 1921 in Jackson County, Mississippi(?), and was buried in Jackson County, Mississippi(?). They were married in 1872.

Henry and Frances had no children.

III. Howell DeLancey. Howell was born in 1833 in Jones County, Mississippi. We do not know the date or place of his death nor where he was buried as yet.

Howell enlisted in the Army in May 1862 in Jasper County, Mississippi. He was a Private in Company A, 7th Battalion, Mississippi Infantry, during the Civil War.

Howell married at least once to Angeline Prine. We do not know the date or place of her birth, the date or place of her death nor where she was buried as yet. Neither do we know the date of their marriage as yet.

Howell and Angeline had at least three children, as follows:

1. George Howell DeLancey
   Born: April 1866 in (?), Mississippi
   Died: 14 February 1907 in (?), Mississippi
   Buried: Bunker Hill Cemetery, Bunker Hill, Marion County, Mississippi
   Marriage/Children: He was married at least once to Florence E. Bryant. They had at least seven children.

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2. Amanda DeLancey
   Born: 18(?) in (?), Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried (?)
   Marriage/Children: She was married at least once to James Carlisle. They had at least four children.

3. Lucy DeLancey
   Born: 18(?) in (?), Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: She was married at least once to Dewitt Robbins. We do not know if they had any children as yet.

IV. George Washington DeLancey. George was born in 1835 in Jones County, Mississippi. He died in 188(?) in Smith County, Mississippi(?), and was buried in Smith County, Mississippi(?).

my great-great grandfather

George enlisted in the Army in August 1861 in Jones County, Mississippi. He was a Private in Company B, 27th Regiment, Mississippi Infantry, during the Civil War.

George married at least once to Sarah A. Knighten who was born in October 1845 in (?), Alabama. She died 28 April 1920 near Harrisville, Simpson County, Mississippi, and was buried in Mt. Peasby Cemetery, Simpson County, Mississippi. We do not know the date of their marriage as yet.

George and Sarah had five children, as follows:

1. Doshie DeLancey
   Born: 8 September 1870(1872?) in Smith County, Mississippi
   Died: 9 November 1949 in Byram, Hinds County, Mississippi
   Buried: Old Byram Baptist Church Cemetery, Byram, Hinds County, Mississippi
   Marriage/Children: She was married once to Huie Alvin Huff. They had nine children.

2. Joseph Edward DeLancey
   Born: 26 August 1874 in Smith County, Mississippi
   Died: 29 June 1943 near Harrisville, Simpson County, Mississippi
   Buried: Harrisville Cemetery, Harrisville, Simpson County, Mississippi
   Marriage/Children: He was married once to Cora Ann Lewis. They had nine children.

3. Joe Lester DeLancey
   Born: 11 December 1876 in Smith County, Mississippi
   Died: 7 March 1955 in Oak Grove, West Carroll Parish, Louisiana
   Buried: New Forest Cemetery, Forest, West Carroll Parish, Louisiana
   Marriage/Children: He was married once to Mattie Dollar. They had no children.

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my great grandfather

4. Elijah Wilburn DeLancey
   Born: 24 February 1879 in Smith County, Mississippi
   Died: 26 June 1958 in West Monroe, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana
   Buried: Mt. Olive Baptist Church Cemetery, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana
   Marriage/Children: He was married twice. He was married first to Kittie Jane Baugh. They had four children. He was married second to Frankie Garrett. They had no children.

5. Susie DeLancey
   Born: 19 April 1886 in Smith County, Mississippi
   Died: 21 May 1950 in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: She was married once to David Jones. They had at least seven children.

Sarah A. Knighten remarried twice after George died. Her second husband was John Everett Singletary. They had no children. Her third husband was Dick Posey. They had no children.

V. David Semore DeLancey. David was born 10 January 1838 in Jones County, Mississippi. He died 26 July 1900 in Williamsburg(?), Covington County(?), Mississippi, and was buried in Bunker Hill Cemetery, Bunker Hill, Marion County, Mississippi.

David enlisted in the Army in May 1862 in Jasper County, Mississippi. He was a Private in Company A, 7th Battalion, Mississippi Infantry, during the Civil War.

Note: the Pennells were a Jones Co. family — Sarah nee Pennell

David married once to Sarah Margaret Pennell who was born 14 October 1841 in Jones County, Mississippi. She died 26 February 1925 in (?), Mississippi, and was buried in Bunker Hill Cemetery, Bunker Hill, Marion County, Mississippi. They were married 24 December 1860.

David and Sarah had eleven children, as follows:

Thomas Flynt 1836-1909
Martha E. Flynt 1834-1910
are buried in Big Creek Cem. - Jones Co.

1. Richard Marshall DeLancey
   Born: 10 February 1862 in Jones County(?), Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: He was married at least once to Elizabeth Brody. They had at least five children.

He had a sister named Martha E. who mar. Tom Flynt

2. Mary Jane DeLancey
   Born: 18 August 1864 in Jones County(?), Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: She was married at least once to (first name unknown) Smith. We do not know if they had any children as yet.

another sis. named Francis C. who mar. M. V. Hill

Next to them is Jane Pinell 1832-1904

other sisters
Charity Victory Pennell
Elizabeth L. Pennell
Susanah Sarilla Pennell
Mary Jane Pennell

although one of these may have been the mother
The father was Richard Pennell

I believe his wife was Susanah but whether this is a dau. or wife - don't know

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3. Frances Elizabeth DeLancey
   Born: 16 June 1866 in Jones County(?), Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: (?)

4. Daniel Willis DeLancey
   Born: 7 November 1867 in Jones County(?), Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: He was married at least once to Lillian Leona Cowart. They had at least four children.

5. John Thomas DeLancey
   Born: 5 September 1869 in Jones County(?), Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: He was married at least twice. He was married first to Letha Jane McRaney. They had at least one child. He was married second to Elizabeth Robertson. They had at least one child.

6. William Henry DeLancey
   Born: 7 November 1872 in (?), Mississippi
   Died: 1973 in Mt. Olive, Covington County, Mississippi
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: He was married at least once to Sally Chance. They had at least eight children.

7. Josiah Washington DeLancey
   Born: 31 July 1874 in (?), Mississippi
   Died: (?) in (?)
   Buried: (?)
   Marriage/Children: He was married at least once to Charity Chance. They had at least one child.

8. Rowan DeLancey
   Born: 24 February 1876 in (?), Mississippi
   Died: 24 July 1877 in (?), Mississippi
   Buried: (?), Mississippi
   Marriage/Children: N/A

9. Sarah DeLancey
   Born: 26 August 1879 in (?), Mississippi
   Died: 24 December 1879 in (?), Mississippi
   Buried: (?), Mississippi
   Marriage/Children: N/A

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10. David Jefferson DeLancey
    Born: 25 June 1881 in (?), Mississippi
    Died: 10 May 1949 in (?), Mississippi
    Buried: Bond, Stone County, Mississippi
    Marriage/Children: He was married at least twice. He was married first to Molly(Mary Joan?) Robertson. They had at least nine children. He was married second to Margaret L. Nobles. They had no children.

11. Evan Oan DeLancey
    Born: 29 August 1883 in (?), Mississippi
    Died: 26 January 1958 in (?), Mississippi
    Buried: (?), Mississippi
    Marriage/Children: He was married once to Doshia Robbins. They had nine children.

TO ALL KINFOLK WHO READ THE FOREGOING: Any corrections or additions to the foregoing or any other information about the family history and background of family members, including information on allied families, which you can provide will be greatly appreciated. Please send your information to: Susan DeLancey, Post Office Box 843, Clinton, Mississippi 39056.

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On demand for funds

ans talk with auditors

If the claims are not settled within 30 days, it's the duty of the attorney general to take civil action in Chancery Court.

May said he remembered appropriating $2,000 for the horse industry.

The audit department demanded a repayment of $1,600 for the horse industry.

"I guess they deducted $400 for Lum's settlement," May said. Former supervisor Lum Cumbest settled the claim against him with former auditor Hamp King for just over $13,000.

May said, according to figures available to him, a deduction was also made for Cumbest's part in a demand payment for $13,367 to Chemrex Mississippi Corporation.

"Barney (former purchasing agent Barney Mathis) told me that, as far as he could tell, the payment to Chemrex was for paint," May said. "I know that the paint wasn't used in District 3."

May noted the bulk of the demand was for bushhogging in District 2. It was for $108,594 paid to Caroline Henderson and Robert McDuffie, two District 2 employees who rented equipment to then supervisor Khayat.

"I never saw any claims to Henderson or McDuffie," May said. "I didn't even know they were renting equipment to the county."

Testimony at Khayat's trial indicated claims to Henderson and McDuffie were paid through H&O Construction Co. Hal Vaughan, owner of the company, said he submitted elevated claims to pay Henderson and McDuffie for their tractors. The claims included a fee for handling the claims and additional funds for other expense such

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Girl dies of injuries from accident

By GLORIA MOORE

Tammy Luke Delancey, 11, died Sunday at Singing River Hospital of injuries received Satruday when she was struck by a car while riding her bicycle on Chicot Street.

Patrolman Scott Ferguson reported Daniel W. McComb, 42, 4000 Scovel Road, was the driver of the auto which struck the girl at Chicago Avenue at 9:43 a.m.

McComb is charged with driving under the influence.

Tammy is the daughter of Austin O. and Louise Delancey and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Luke. She was a

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Tammy Delancey

Palmcook and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Perry of Niagara, Wis.

Carl's body is being sent from Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Home in Biloxi to D.A. Asp Memorial Funeral Home in Norway, Mich., where mass will be celebrated Thursday at St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Niagara.

Woman killed near Lucedale

LUCEDALE — A coroner's jury here has ruled that the Saturday night traffic death of Jo Ann Dearman, 39, of the Ward community was an unavoidable accident.

Trooper Roscoe Sheriff of the Mississippi Highway Patrol said Mrs. Dearman was lying on Mississippi 613 in the Union Church curve about seven miles south of Lucedale when she was struck by a vehicle operated by Tim Tipton, 18, of Lucedale. He said the woman was killed instantly.

Sheriff also said relatives told him that Mrs. Dearman had been extremely depressed before the 11:40 accident Saturday.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete and will be announced by George County Funeral Home of Lucedale.

long way

' report reveals 1934 business

Gulfport and Ship Island for loading on larger size vessels at these places

trunk-line railroads connecting the port directly with the interior and

and petroleum products, at 27.3 percent, ranked second and coal

"Before improvements were started by the Government the depth

C.C. Dickerson, Pascagoula; one daughter, Mrs. Glora Jean Smith, Wade; one son, Chris Dickerson, Pascagoula; four brothers, I.V. Gregory, Vancleave, Hubert Gregory, Pineville, Miss., Preston Gregory, Ocean Springs, and Edward Gregory, Theodore, Ala.

Visitation will be held from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. today, Monday, at Holder-Wells Funeral Home, Moss Point. Funeral service will be at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday from the chapel, with the Rev. Tommy Kendrick and the Rev. H.A. Wilkes Jr. officiating.

Interment will be in Serene Memorial Gardens, Highway 613.

DELANCEY JAN 16 1984

Tammy Lynn Delancey, 11, 3310 New York Ave., Pascagoula, died Sunday night, Jan. 15, 1984, in Singing River Hospital. Tammy was born Dec. 19, 1972, in Pascagoula. She was a member of Bethel Assembly of God and a student at Jackson Elementary School in Pascagoula.

Survivors are Austin O. and Louise Delancey and Johnny and Sharon Luke, parents, all of Pascagoula; three sisters, Mrs. Betty Cobb and Mrs. Elizabeth Luke, both of Pascagoula, and Mrs. Grovene Towles, Vancleave; grandparents, Mrs. Myrtle Luke and Lee J. Luke, both of Pascagoula; two stepbrothers, Brian Lynn Luke and Michael Shane Luke, both of Pascagoula.

Visitation will be from 6 to 9 tonight, Jan. 16, 1984, at Holder-Wells Funeral Home, Moss Point.

Funeral service will be Tuesday, Jan. 17, at 2 p.m. at the Bethel Assembly of God Church, where friends may call one hour prior to service. The Rev. Joe Spence will officiate.

Interment will be at Machpelah Cemetery.

GARY D. BARIA

Gary D. Baria, 43, 8404 Lloyd D. Baria Road, Hurley, died Jan. 16, 1984, at Singing River Hospital. Mr. Baria was born March 1, 1940, in Hurley. He was a member of the Hurley Catholic Church and was a pipefitter at Ingalls. Mr. Baria was preceded in death by his mother, Nora Vermel Kasby Baria, Jan. 4, 1970.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Ramona Baria; and two sons, Gary D. Baria Jr. and Thomas Martin Baria, all of Hurley; one stepdaughter, Kathy Leeman, Hat-

[illegible] officiating.

Interment will be at Coleman Cemetery, Hurley.

Holder-Wells Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

O'BRYANT-O'KEEFE
FUNERAL HOME, INC.
762-4311
4811 Telephone Rd., Pascagoula

MILLER

Jeffrey Alan Miller, 12, 22140 Ellis Hamilton Road, was dead on arrival at Forrest General Hospital, Hattiesburg, Miss., on Saturday, Jan. 14, 1984. Born Feb. 23, 1971, in Hammond, Inda., Jeffrey was a sixth grade student at East Central Elementary School, and a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Moss Point.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Miller, Hurley; two brothers, Timothy Miller, Daytona, Fla., and Thomas Miller, Denver, Colo.; four sisters, Mrs. Hardy (Deborah) Wickel, Grand Bay, Ms. Cynthia Miller, Baton Rouge, La., Mrs. Kenneth (Victoria) Carter, Gautier, and Ms. Margaret Miller, Hurley; his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Annie E. Miller, Moss Point; and nieces, nephews and a host of aunts and uncles.

Friends may call from 3 to 9 p.m. today, Monday, at O'Bryant-O'Keefe Funeral Home in Pascagoula, where Rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. Services will begin at 10:10 a.m. Tuesday, from the chapel of O'Bryant-O'Keefe, followed by Mass at St. Joseph's Catholic Church at 10:30 a.m. The Rev. James Taylor will officiate, assisted by the Rev. Frank Scott.

Interment will be in Serene Memorial Gardens, Highway 613.

Pallbearers will be Roger Roth, Glenn Cothran, David Miller, Richard Roth, Joey McQueen and Joseph Miller. Honorary ballbearers is Ben Loper.

Other deaths

MRS. SARAH AGNES McCURTY, 79, 3732 Roberts Road, Escatawpa. Arrangements incomplete at Holder-Wells Funeral Home, Moss Point.

MRS. ISABEL JIROUT, 66, 125 Benachi St., Biloxi. Arrangements incomplete at Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Home.

MRS. ERAN LADNER, 71, 302 Baptia Ave., North Biloxi. Services

resigned their offices. Roberts signed without entering a plea.

Girl dies

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student at Jackson Element School.

Funeral services are scheduled 2 p.m. Tuesday from Bet Assembly of God.

The Rev. Joe Spence, pastor Bethel Assembly, said at Tamm request vital organs were give aid other children in need transplants.

Rev. Spence said about a year Tammy attended an estate plann program at the church during wh the donation of organs was cussed. After returning ho Tammy told her mother in the ev of her death she would like to h others by donating her organs.

Remembering Tanny's wish, parents made the necessary rangements. Her eyes were give the Mississippi Lions Eye Bank a team from the Alabama Organ B in Birmingham came to Pascag Sunday to obtain the heart and neys.

Rev. Spence said recipients w selected through the national c puter system set up on pers needing organ transplants.

Courthouse offices observe anniversary

Jackson County courthouse offi are closed today in observance of anniversary of Robert E. Le birthday.

Most state offices, including Department of Public Welfare, a will be closed today.

For Moss Point, Ocean Springs Pascagoula city halls it will business as usual.

Public meetings

Today

Pascagoula School Board, 6 p.m., administration building.

Tuesday

Jackson County School Board p.m., administration building.

Moss Point Board of Aldermen p.m., city hall.

Ocean Springs Board of Alderm 7 p.m., city hall.

Pascagoula City Council, 7 p.m., city hall.